

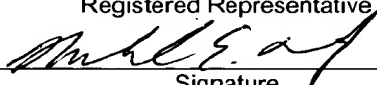
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In re Application of:)
Junichi Umehara)
Serial No. 09/804,883)
Filing Date: March 13, 2001)
For Direct Electronic Purchase of)
Online Information)

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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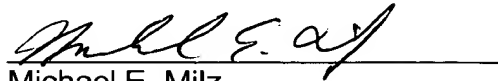
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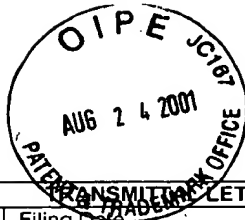
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REFERENCE DESIGNATION

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	FILING DATE
	A1	4,641,347	02/03/87	Clark et al.	Technology Center 2100	AUG 28 2001 RECEIVED
	A2	5,239,480	08/24/93	Huegel		
	A3	5,249,044	09/28/93	Von Kohorn		
	A4	5,319,562	06/07/94	Whitehouse		
	A5	5,398,932	03/21/95	Eberhardt et al.		
	A6	5,598,477	01/28/97	Berson		
	A7	5,652,794	07/29/97	Lepetit et al.		
	A8	5,761,648	06/02/98	Golden et al.		
	A9	5,822,739	10/13/98	Kara		
	A10	5,884,277	03/16/99	Khosla		
	A11	5,948,040	09/07/99	DeLorme et al.		
	A12	5,970,150	10/19/99	Sansone		
	A13	6,005,945	12/21/99	Whitehouse		

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)	
	A14	Article entitled "Ticketmasters print-it-yourself barcode tickets", dated Jan 25 2000, 3 pages.
	A15	Article entitled "New Ticketmaster.com Electronic Ticketing Service Will Give Online Consumers the Edge by Allowing Them to Purchase, Print Out Ticketmaster Tickets at Home, 3 pages

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